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Hon. Denise Cote U.S. District Judge Southern District of NY 500 Pearl St., Room 1910 New York, NY 10007

Re: McGowan et al. v. Stanley, et. al (22-cv-06971)

Dear Judge Cote:

The Court has scheduled a preliminary conference in this matter on November 17, 2022, at 11:30 A.M. I now have a critical motion scheduled at 11:00 A.M. in Kings County Surrogate's Court. The issue in Kings County may be settled by then, but given the history of the matter, that is not probable.

Therefore, I would respectfully request that the conference be rescheduled for a date in the near future. This is the first such request. I would also mention that the answer in this matter was filed October 31, 2022, per stipulation. Additional time could also help both sides be more fully prepared.

I have reached out to opposing counsel, who is fine with an adjournment.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

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